

MINISTRY OF HEALTH

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DECISION

On promulgating “Regulation on maximum residue level of chemical and biological contamination in foodstuffs”

MINISTER OF HEALTH

Pursuant to the Decree No. 49/2003/NĐ-CP dated 15 May 2003 of the Government laying down functions, responsibilities and organizational structure of the Ministry of Health.

Pursuant to the Ordinance of Food Hygiene No.12/2003/PL-UBTVQH11 dated 26 July 2003.

Pursuant to the Decree No.163/2004/NĐ-CP dated 07 September 2004 laying down regulations on implementation of the Ordinance of Food Hygiene.

Considering the requests of the Director of Food Administrator, the Director of Legislation Department under the Ministry of Health

DECIDES:

Article 1. Promulgating in closure with this Decision “Regulation on maximum residue level of chemical and biological contaminants in foodstuffs”.

Article 2. The effective date shall be 15 days after being posted on Official Gazette. Repealing the Decision No. 867/1998/QĐ-BYT dated 04 April 1998 of the Minister of Health on the list of hygiene standards applicable to foodstuffs. In case the technical national standards is promulgated, maximum residue level of microbiology and contaminants shall be applied in compliance with such standards.

Article 3. Chief of Cabinet, Chief Inspector, Directors of Science and Training Department, Legislation Department, Food Administrator, Provincial Departments of Health, Directors of the relevant other Departments of the Ministry and other sectors are responsible for implementing this Decision./.

FOR MINISTER
VICE MINISTER

Cao Minh Quang